



2027 TUCSON QUILT FIESTA

KIDS ROW INSTRUCTIONS AND ENTRY

1. Entrants (kids) must be 18 years old or younger to participate in Kids Row.
 - a. There is no entry fee.
2. You must include a 4 x 6-inch photograph or drawing of your quilt with the entry form. Make sure your paper information label is attached to the back of your photograph.
3. Each entry/quilt requires a separate entry form.
4. All work on the quilt must be done by the child.

**Adults may help with quilting and binding as well as any assistance needed by an age-appropriate entrant.*
5. Quilts must have a 4-inch sleeve on the back for hanging purposes (see included instructions).
6. **ENTRY FORMS** are due [Saturday, November 7, 2026](#). (Page 2) Quilts do **not** need to be finished by this date. A reasonable photo or drawing of your planned quilt with measurements is all that is required with the entry form.
 - a. Mail to either Co-chair --> Joyce Harrison or Kate Clark. See below addresses.
7. **QUILT DROP-OFF DUE DATE** [Saturday, January 23, 2027](#).
 - a. **DROPPING OFF YOUR QUILT**.... You must drop off your quilt(s) at your selected quilt shop. *See entry form for list of quilt shops.*
 - b. **TURNING IN YOUR QUILT**: place your quilt in an appropriately sized cover bag that best fits your quilt without being too tight or too loose. Cover bags must be open on one end (think pillowcase style). One quilt per bag with an appropriate label on the outside at the center of the opened end.
8. **QUILT FIESTA** duration: [February 25 thru 27, 2027](#).
 - a. All entries must be available to hang EVERY day of the Quilt Fiesta.
9. Your quilts will be picked up by KIDS ROW COMMITTEE members and will be kept safe until the show. Please remember to thank the quilt shop staff for holding your KIDS ROW quilt entry.
10. Multiple entries may be accepted if space is available. Be sure to indicate your *Display Choice* with *priority numbers "1", "2", or "3"* on your entries (next page).
11. All quilts and cover bags must be clean of dirt, lint, odor, and pet hair free.
12. **ENTRANTS PICKUP** no earlier than [Thursday, March 4, 2027](#).
 - a. Your quilt will be available for pick up at your chosen quilt shop.
 - b. Included will be your quilt, ribbon as well as a "thank you" gift for participating in Kids Row.

QUESTIONS? PLEASE CALL, TEXT, OR EMAIL either Kids Row Co-Chair → Joyce Harrison or Kate Clark. "Re: kids row question" Contact Info in document footer below

We look forward to displaying your creation in FEBRUARY!
Thank you for participating in KIDS ROW at the 2026-27 Tucson Quilt Fiesta

Kids Row Co-Chairs Contact Information:			
Kate Clark	wlclark3@comcast.net	520-780-1118	P.O. Box 36328, Tucson, AZ 85740-6328
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Please place photo or drawing here

Size: 4 X 6 inches.

2026-27 KIDS ROW ENTRY FORM

Child's Name: _____ Age: _____

Parent/Sponsor Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

(to receive confirmation/correspondence)

Quilt Title: _____

Size (Width X Length in inches) _____ X _____ Priority # _____, # _____, or # _____

If class was taken, where did you attend this class? _____

Describe what is special about your quilt in 25 words or less.

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Would you like to follow a White Glove Host? _____

1. No Insurance is provided by the Tucson Quilters Guild.
2. No quilts will be accepted or removed during the show.
3. The Kids Row Committee has the final decision on placement in the show.
4. The submission of your entry gives express permission for photography.
5. We welcome you to participate in sewing a simple square for the Quilts of Valor.
6. If for any reason you must withdraw your quilt, please contact a co-chair as soon as possible.

(below contacts – Kate or Joyce)

Parent/Sponsor Signature: _____

Please **select** your drop-off/pick up location. These are the local Quilt Shops participating in Kids Row.

2026-27 Participating Quilt Shops:

-----	Cactus Quilt	6032 N. Oracle Road, Tucson, AZ 85704	520-498-4698
-----	Quilt Basket	6538 E. Tanque Verde Road, #130, Tucson, AZ 85715	520-722-8810
-----	Quilter's Market	7601 E. Speedway Blvd., Tucson, AZ 85710	520-747-8458
-----	Cathey's	5701 E. Speedway Blvd., Tucson, AZ 85712	520-721-4000
-----	Cathey's	8700 N. Oracle Road, Ste A, Oro Valley, AZ 85704-6661	520-797-7177
-----	Purple Sand	2447 N. Stone Avenue, Tucson, AZ	520-347-3966
-----	Quality Quilterz	8421 E. Broadway Blvd., Tucson, AZ 85710	520-248-3033
-----	By and By	2569 E. Ft. Lowell Road, Tucson, AZ 85716	520-833-4885

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2026-27 Kids Row Quilt Labels

KIDS ROW <u>QUILT</u> ID TAG	KR ID _____
CHILD'S NAME _____	
NAME OF QUILT _____	

Cut and sew this label to the back of the **quilt**, LOWER LEFT CORNER. (See previous page.)

KIDS ROW <u>ENTRY</u> ID	
CHILD'S NAME _____	
NAME OF QUILT _____	
MEASUREMENT _____	W x _____ L

Cut and tape this label to the back of your **photo/drawing**. Attach to **entry form** (previous page)

KIDS ROW <u>QUILT BAG COVER</u> ID TAG
CHILD'S NAME _____
NAME OF QUILT _____

Cut and sew this label to the top side, open edge of your **quilt bag cover**.

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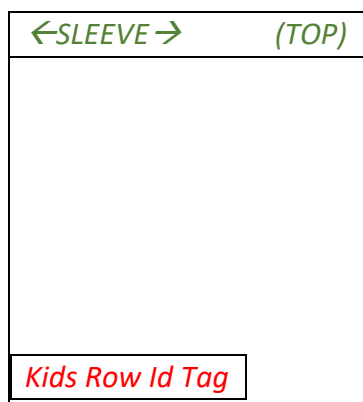
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KIDS ROW - Making a 4 Inch HANGING SLEEVE

PLEASE KEEP THIS PAGE FOR YOUR INFORMATION

1. Cut or piece together a piece of muslin or other fabric that is 8 ½ inches in depth(wide) and as long as the width of the quilt for which the sleeve is intended.
2. Turn a "1 inch" hem to the outside at each end and machine stitch. Fold the 8 ½ inch piece in half lengthwise with the end hems on the outside. Sew a ¼ inch seam along the raw edges.
DO NOT TURN
3. Press and position the sleeve so that the raw edges of the seam are facing the back of the quilt. Pin the sleeve across the back below the binding. The sleeve should now measure 4 inches in depth. Whip stitch the sleeve to the back of the quilt, across the top and the bottom of the sleeve. Be careful that your stitches do not go through the front of the quilt.
4. When your quilt is hung, the rod will go through the sleeve and not between the sleeve and the back. The rod will not catch, since the hems are facing outside, and the seam is facing the back.
5. Cut out and place and sew the Kids Row Quilt Id Tag to the lower **left** quilt back (next page).

(Tag placement example)



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.....How to make a Pillowcase 'type' quilt bag cover that fits just right.....

Note: you may use an existing pillowcase you have at home. Just be sure to fill out the label on previous page and attach the Quilt Id Tag to the quilt bag.

Directions to make the quilt bag:

1. If your quilt is large, fold your quilt in half, top to bottom together. Then fold in half again. Then fold again sides meeting, then again. This reduces your quilt to a controllable shape without causing too many fold marks.
2. Measure around your folded quilt. Include an extra 2 inches in each direction.
3. Leave at least 4 inches on the side that will be open. Cut your fabric.
4. Sew on 3 sides with a 1/4-or-1/2-inch seam.
5. The last side left open should be finished with 1/4 inch folded twice, and edge stitched. This will protect your quilt entry.
6. Center and stitch your Cover Bag ID Tag to one of the open edges of your quilt bag.

Please make sure your quilt bag is not too large or too small. Your quilt should be able to slide in and out without difficulty.

Happy Sewing!
Kate Clark, Joyce Harrison
& Chris Bredwell

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